# THE WORD (SUMMER)

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Leaves are falling and winter is in the air! It is time to start thinking about switching into winter mode. A few things to note as we transition; there are still some open positions posted, don't forget your onboarding tasks for both new and returning crew (email SPSchoolStaff@VailResorts.com with issues), and as always its time to get stoked on the incoming snow!

## **Open Positions**

### **Training Specialist**

<u>https://jobs.vailresortscareers.com/stevens/job/Leavenworth-Ski-</u> <u>&-Snowboard-School-Training-Specialist-WA-98826/1317497300/</u>

Team Lead \*Opens Saturday 9/20/25

Check the Stevens Pass website to apply!

# **Trouble Logging In?**

Please go to <a href="https://epicemployee.vailresorts.com">https://epicemployee.vailresorts.com</a>

- → If you are returning from SIS status: select "Access the Alumni Portal"
  - If you are new to Stevens Pass and Vail Resorts: Select "Not Yet"
    Your username is your personal email address we have on file
- Your temporary password is VailYYYYMMDDEpicEmployee! (Enter your birthdate in place of YYYYMMDD. Ex. 19900301 for March 1, 1990).

#### **Trouble Logging In**

- If you are unable to log in using these credentials try resetting your password using the "Forgot Password" option at the bottom of the page.
- The onboarding portal is most compatible with a computer/laptop rather than a phone.
- If you are still having issues, try using a different browser Microsoft Edge is the preferred choice - if that does not work, try Internet Explorer.

#### **Password Requirements:**

- When resetting your password, please ensure it includes special characters (!,?,\$, ECT)
   and a capitol letter
- A good password to reset it to would be Winter25!

If the "Forgot Password" option fails please get a screenshot showing the exact error message you are receiving and email to SPSchoolStaff@VailResorts.com and our Admin will work with you to solve the issue.

### **Winter Stoke Events**

### Leavenworth

Gear swap with Leavenworth Winter Sports Club - Oct 19th

https://skileavenworth.com/events/fall-gear-swap-2025

Warren Miller Film Tour - Snowy Owl at Icicle Creek in Leavenworth - Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>

\*More dates scheduled on website: <a href="https://warrenmiller.com/events">https://warrenmiller.com/events</a>

### **Seattle**

Snowvanna - Magnuson Park - Oct 17-19

https://snowvana.com/seattle/

Evo Winter Warm Up - Evo Store on Stone Way - Sept 18-23

https://winterwarmupseattle.splashthat.com/

Teton Gravity Research Film Tour - Nectar Lounge - Oct 2nd

https://tour.tetongravity.com/

Warren Miller Film Tour - McCaw Hall - Nov 22nd

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# Meet our New Administrative Specialist!

If you have worked a winter at Stevens Pass in the last four years, you may hear a familiar voice around the SRS building... Adrienne Higbee is joining us from Dispatch as our new Administrative Specialist! This will be Adrienne's fifth winter with Stevens and would have been her fourth Bike park, however she was busy adding to her family this summer. You may see the newest addition around, her brand new baby boy Rio Atlantis. Rio joins his canine siblings Luna and Sol making up a chaotic family of five.

While Adrienne currently represents team snowboard, she grew up skiing in Big Bear with her Mom and Dad. Eager to try out the world of cross country, you can catch her in the Nordic center this season on her days off. Adrienne is looking forward to meeting the instructors and helping out in every way possible to make this a great winter season both for staff and guests. Don't be scared if she wants to show you her spread sheets... it is one of her nerdiest hobbies (and skill sets) to date.

You can find her in the old "blue room" office near private lesson sales. Once you venture past her growing plant collection, you can count on her smiling face to help with any questions or concerns that may arise.





